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Docket No.: 532212000623  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Thomas L. CANTOR et al.

Allowed: January 4, 2007

Application No.: 10/617,489

Confirmation No.: 4476

Filed: July 10, 2003

Art Unit: 1641

For: METHODS, KITS AND ANTIBODIES FOR  
DETECTING PARATHYROID HORMONE

Examiner: C. Cheu

**PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM  
ISSUE PURSUANT TO 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2)**

MS 313(c)  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Petitioner hereby petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the above-identified application from issue. The Issue Fee in this application was timely paid on April 4, 2007.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 03-1952 in the amount of \$130.00 covering the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(h).

Petitioner respectfully petitions that the above-identified application be withdrawn from issue in order to permit consideration of a submission under 37 CFR 1.114 (Request for Continued Examination with an Information Disclosure Statement and a Preliminary Amendment) submitted herewith. In addition, petitioner requests the Examiner to consider and make of record the

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following Information Disclosure Statements that were submitted after the mailing of the Notice of Allowance on January 4, 2007:

- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on January 24, 2007 with 6 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on April 10, 2007 with 48 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on May 24, 2007 with 10 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on July 10, 2007 with 6 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on August 20, 2007 with 125 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on September 7, 2007 with 1 reference;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on September 19, 2007 with 14 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on October 15, 2007 with 21 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on November 30, 2007 with 10 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on December 13, 2007 with 12 references;

- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on December 19, 2007 with 12 references;
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on January 8, 2008 with 14 references; and
- Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement submitted on December 6, 2007 with a Petition To Expunge and 8 references.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 03-1952, under Order No. 532212000623.

Dated: January 25, 2008

Respectfully submitted,

By:   
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Peng Chen

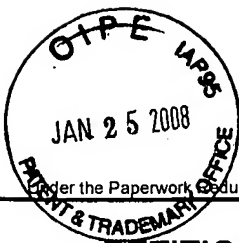
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**PETITION FEE**  
**Under 37 CFR 1.17(f), (g) & (h)**  
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Enclosed is a petition filed under 37 CFR 1.313(c)(2) that requires a processing fee (37 CFR 1.17(f), (g), or (h)). Payment of \$ 130.00 is enclosed.

This form should be included with the above-mentioned petition and faxed or mailed to the Office using the appropriate Mail Stop (e.g., Mail Stop Petition), if applicable. For transmittal of processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17(i), see form PTO/SB/17i.

**Payment of Fees** (small entity amounts are NOT available for the petition fees).☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 :  
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☐ Check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.☐ Payment by credit card (Form PTO-2038 or equivalent enclosed). Do not provide credit card information on this form.**Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(f): Fee \$400 Fee Code 1462**

For petitions filed under:

§ 1.36(a) – for revocation of a power of attorney by fewer than all applicants

§ 1.53(e) – to accord a filing date.

§ 1.57(a) – to accord a filing date.

§ 1.182 – for decision on a question not specifically provided for.

§ 1.183 – to suspend the rules.

§ 1.378(e) – for reconsideration of decision on petition refusing to accept delayed payment of maintenance fee in an expired patent.

§ 1.741(b) – to accord a filing date to an application under § 1.740 for extension of a patent term.

**Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(g): Fee \$200 Fee Code 1463**

For petitions filed under:

§ 1.12 – for access to an assignment record.

§ 1.14 – for access to an application.

§ 1.47 – for filing by other than all the inventors or a person not the inventor.

§ 1.59 – for expungement of information.

§ 1.103(a) – to suspend action in an application.

§ 1.136(b) – for review of a request for extension of time when the provisions of section 1.136(a) are not available.

§ 1.295 – for review of refusal to publish a statutory invention registration.

§ 1.296 – to withdraw a request for publication of a statutory invention registration filed on or after the date the notice of intent to publish issued.

§ 1.377 – for review of decision refusing to accept and record payment of a maintenance fee filed prior to expiration of a patent.

§ 1.550(c) – for patent owner requests for extension of time in *ex parte* reexamination proceedings.§ 1.956 – for patent owner requests for extension of time in *inter partes* reexamination proceedings.

§ 5.12 – for expedited handling of a foreign filing license.

§ 5.15 – for changing the scope of a license.

§ 5.25 – for retroactive license.

**Petition Fees under 37 CFR 1.17(h): Fee \$130 Fee Code 1464**

For petitions filed under:

§ 1.19(g) – to request documents in a form other than that provided in this part.

§ 1.84 – for accepting color drawings or photographs.

§ 1.91 – for entry of a model or exhibit.

§ 1.102(d) – to make an application special.

§ 1.138(c) – to expressly abandon an application to avoid publication.

§ 1.313 – to withdraw an application from issue.

§ 1.314 – to defer issuance of a patent.

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